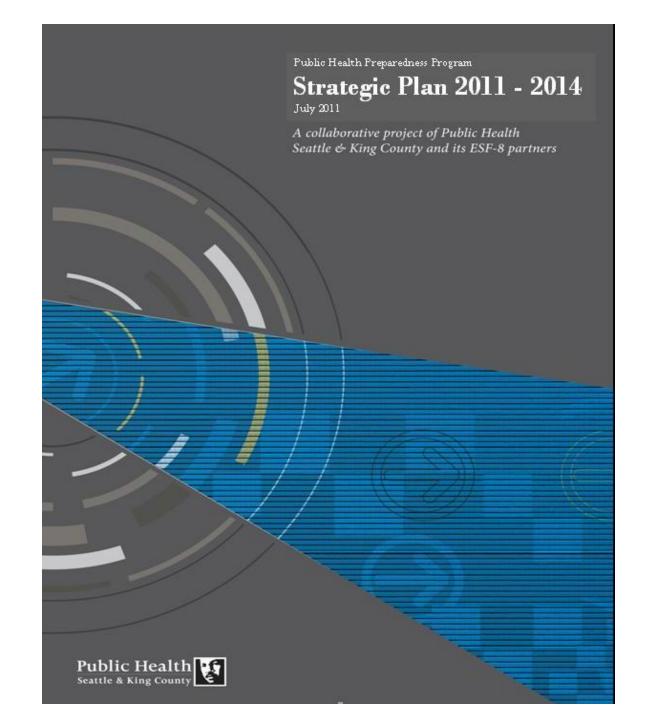


The Strategic Direction for ESF 8 Planning

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Process Overview

- Participants: healthcare, emergency management, environmental health,
 Medical Examiner's Office, epidemiology, emergency medical services, public information, public health preparedness
- Five phase process: September 2010 September 2011



Research

2011 Strategic Plan

Funding trends

AARs, improvement plans

Capability assessment

Hazard and vulnerability assessment

Emergency activation history

Policy environment

Key informant interviews

Comparable programs' plans

Tier I Priorities

- Community preparedness
- Emergency operations coordination
- Emergency public information and warning
- Fatality management
- Information sharing
- Medical countermeasure dispensing
- Medical surge
- Public health surveillance and epidemiological investigation
- Volunteer management

Tier 2 Priorities

- Mass care
- Medical materiel management
- Public health laboratory testing
- Community recovery
- Non-pharmaceutical interventions
- Responder safety and health

Goals & Strategies

Fatality Management

Goal:

Build scalable capacities and capabilities to lead an effective response to a medium-sized mass fatalities incident Using local resources or those that can be mobilized without federal assistance

Sustainment strategy:

Complete and maintain King County
Mass Fatality and Family
Assistance Center plans.

Enhancement strategy:

Integrate law enforcement,
healthcare, funeral homes, faith based and
cultural leaders, and emergency management
artners into mass fatality planning to clarify roles
and coordination procedures

Future Project Milestones

- Partner briefings
- Incorporate feedback on strategic direction
- Identify opportunities to collaborate with partners
- Integrate sustainment/enhancement strategies into workplans
- Measure progress and report to stakeholders
- Update foundational analysis and adjust vision

Implementation Challenges

- Changing operating environment
- Maintaining a high level of readiness for all capabilities
- Aiding smaller jurisdictions
- Breadth of partnerships needed
- Balancing local vs. national pressures

What We Need From You

- Feedback on the plan
- Identify intersections with your organization
- Notify us of opportunities for collaboration
- Continue your organizational planning
- Participate in regional planning, training, and exercises

For More Information

- Centers for Disease Control: National Standards for State & Local Preparedness Planning
 - http://www.cdc.gov/phpr/capabilities/
- Strategic Planning to Move You Forward in Challenging Times (Tutorial for local health departments seeking to replicate our process)
 - http://www.naccho.org/NA/2011/attend/loader.cfm?csModule=security/getfile&PageID=209650
- Public Health Preparedness Strategic Plan (Process overview presented to Seattle Fire)
 - http://prezi.com/3ropul0mtxlq/public-health-preparedness-strategic-planning-overview-october-2011/

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Questions?